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Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Sony Computer Entertainment Inc., a Japanese corporation
with offices at 1-1 Akasaka 7-cho-me, Minato-ku, Tokyo, 107-0052 Japan, and Sony Computer
Entertainment America, a U.S. corporation with offices at 919 East Hillsdale Boulevard, Foster
City, California 94404, certify that they are the assignees of 100% of the right, title and

interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventors of the patent application identified above. The assignment was executed on October 3, 2001, and a copy of the assignment is enclosed.

The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignees identified above.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

The undersigned, acting on behalf of the assignees, hereby revokes all powers of attorney previously granted in the application and appoints:

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With full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute the application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

Sony Computer Entertainment Inc.

Date: May 02, 2002

Tetsuya Kobayashi
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Sony Computer Entertainment America Inc.

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WHEREAS, MASAYUKI CHATANI, ANNE CHEN, HAJIME HIRANO, TORU KUWAHARA, KEN KUTARAGI, COLIN MACLEAN, PHILIP D. PALMER, AKIRA SAITO, KAZUYA TAMURA, and TANJO WAKIMOTO, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR", are the owners of certain new and useful improvements as described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: FLEXIBLE LICENSE PAYMENT METHOD FOR ELECTRONIC COMMERCE SYSTEMS

Date of Execution: _____ Filing Date: _____ Serial No.: Unassigned

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NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that, for One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto the said Assignee, and Assignee's successors and assigns, all right, title and interest in and to the said invention, said application for United States Letters Patent, and any Letters Patent which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States including any divisions, renewals, continuations in whole or in part, substitutions, conversions, reissues, prolongations or extensions thereof, said interest to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by said Assignor had this assignment and transfer not been made, to the full end and term of any such Letters Patent.

Assignor further agree that they will, without charge to said Assignee, but at Assignee's expense, cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of said application and/or applications, execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all such further papers, including applications for Letters Patent and for the reissue thereof, and instruments of assignment and transfer thereof, and will perform such other acts as Assignee lawfully may request, to obtain or maintain Letters Patent for said invention and improvement in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in said Assignee, or Assignee's successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto signed his name to this assignment on the date indicated below.

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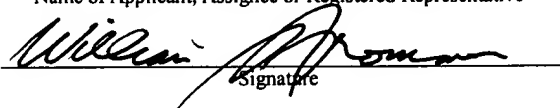
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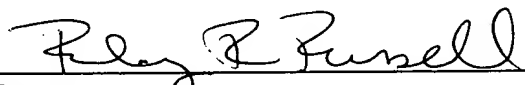
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